



Ruth G. Howell

September 18, 1924 - November 2, 2012

Ruth G. Howell, 88, of St. Marys, formerly of Wapakoneta, died 2:47 a.m., Fri. Nov. 2, 2012, at Otterbein St. Marys. She was born Sept. 18, 1924, in Glynwood, OH, the daughter of Roy & Onis (Craft) McDermitt, who preceded her in death. On Sept. 24, 1946, she married Vernon D. Howell, and he died in Dec. 1950. Survivors include, a daughter, Marsha E. (Kevin) Schnippel, Troy, OH, a grandson, Joshua Schnippel, 2 brothers, Robert (Linda) McDermitt, Norman (Hyla) McDermitt, both of St. Marys, a sister, Dorothy Wilkens, St. Marys, numerous loving nieces and nephews including special nieces Karen Barringer & Kimberly Kaylor. She was preceded in death by 2 brother, Guy & Freedus McDermitt, and 3 sisters, Margaret Wehnes, Evelyn Wheeler, & Betty Rumpff, and a sister-in-law, Mary Wilson. Ruth worked for Auglaize Farmers as a bookkeeper for over 40 years. She was a member of the First English Lutheran Church, Wapakoneta, and was a 1942 graduate of St. Marys Memorial High School. Funeral services will be 10:30 a.m., Tues. Nov. 6, 2012, at the Bayliff & Eley Funeral Home, St. Rt. 501, Wapakoneta, Pastor Steven Nelson officiating. Burial will follow in the Elm Grove Cemetery, St. Marys. The family will receive friends from 2-4 & 6-8 p.m., Mon. at the funeral home. Memorials may be directed to the First English Lutheran Church.

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“ To the family of Ruth Howell, I would like to express my sympathy to you for the loss of Ruth. I worked with Ruth at Mercer Landmark when she came in to help out Don Wittwer. She was a wonderful person. My thoughts and prayers are with you.

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